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TREATMENT OF ANEURYSMS

Customer No. : 24201

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 May 23, 2007

Dear Sir:

This is in reply to the Office Action dated February 26, 2007, setting a shortened statutory term for a response of three months.

Please enter the following amendments.

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